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Subject:

USS Reference Number: 10-0365 ACHD Reference Number: N/A Sulfur Plant

USS Clairton Works

Gentlemen:

The attached form confirms our verbal report of the subject incident. Any questions concerning this matter should be referred to Coleen M. Davis at 412-233-1015.

Sincerely,

Mark G. Tabler Plant Manager Clairton Works

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NOTICE OF PLANNED OUTAGE OF EQUIPMENT ARTICLE XXI - SECTION 2108.1

- 1. USS Reference Number: 10-0365 ACHD Reference Number: N/A
- 2. Date & Time of Breakdown: Date: 08/16/10 Time: 0700 hours
- 3. Company Name: U.S. Steel Corporation USS Clairton Works
- 4. Specific Equipment Involved or Affected: Sulfur Plant
- 5. BAPC Permit Number (if applicable):
- 6. Location: Clairton, PA
- 7. Nature and cause of breakdown: During an approximate 2 week period, the C658 sulfur plant stripper vacuum axi will be unavailable for service while the axi is rebuilt. The C658 Axi is a redundant piece of equipment. The spare 101J Axi will carry the full load. Sulfur Plant performance will not be affected. Sulfur emissions will not increase.
- 8. Identification of Emissions:
 - A. Type(s) (CO, NOK, SO₂, Particulates, Hydrocarbons, etc.)
 The spare 101J Axi will carry the full load. No
 environmental impact is expected.
 - B. Toxic qualities of each type (including its qualities as an irritant, and its potential for causing illness, disability, or mortality). N/A No environmental impact is expected.
 - C. Amount of each type emitted (or likely to be emitted).
- 9. Measures taken (or to be taken) to minimize length of breakdown and amount of emissions, including shutdown or curtailment (or why it is impossible or impractical to do so).

 The spare 101J Axi will carry the full gas flow to the plant.
- 10. Facility back in operation Date: Time: hours

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Coleen	Μ.	Davis	

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